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California Los Angeles

1053-1955 Cary Avenue
(Wilmington) Los Angeles

State

County

Town or Vicinity

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Officers' Quarters, Drum Barracks (CAL-353)

Structure

Library Material: Pages of a Report, 11; Photographs, 12;
Measured Drawings, 0.

History: Drum Barracks, built in 1862, and used until 1868, mainly as a supply depot. During the Civil War, the Officers' Quarters were the southwestern terminus of the east-west telegraph line. Phineas Banning gave the original land to the Government and reacquired the site and the buildings later.

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* 2d = PLANS

Description: The two-story part, 20' x 60', has two one-story wings, 27' x 19', for kitchens, etc.; two apartments. Frame construction, shingle roof, clapboard siding, a bracketed cornice and Greek Revival details.

References: Historic Landmarks in Los Angeles County, Office of Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools, (January 1950) pp. 65-66.

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